

Interesting Items From Kinsella

Mr. B. C. Carpenter was an Edmonton visitor last week.

The Kinsella Red Cross will hold a tea in the United Church Saturday, June 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of Medicine Hat were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bawden and Mr. and Mrs. J. McKie last week-end.

Miss Jessie Jean Murray is a patient in the Viking hospital.

Miss Lucille Mark returned home on Thursday night from Holden where she has been staying with Miss N. Lindsay who is teaching in the Holden district.

Miss Edith Watson, Miss Marion Watson and Miss Gablehouse spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

Miss Isabel McKie of Edmonton spent the week-end at the home of her mother, Mrs. I. McKie.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Huse of Gadsby were visitors in Kinsella Sunday, Mrs. Huse and Peter are spending a week in town visiting friends and relatives.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The monthly meeting of the Irma W.I. will be held on Thursday, June 6, at the home of Mrs. J. C. McLean. Roll call will be answered by "Your idea of a perfect holiday." Will all members please make every effort to attend, as Mrs. Rollins of Viking, district convenor, will be visiting our branch at this meeting. Hostesses Mrs. Pyron Jones, Mrs. C. Larson and Mrs. J. C. McLean.

OLD TIRES ARE DANGEROUS

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Safety proved on the
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NEW LOW PRICES

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It Pays to buy National
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**The Bursting
Forth of
Spring!**

Spring is in the air and in the blood! Every warm rain brings forth new life. Any day now you'll be feeling that urge to change the furniture around and do over your house.

A little color here and there — early painted floors, walls and ceilings — perhaps a table touched up gaily with gleaming enamel.

Obey that impulse!

Encourage the spirit of Spring by looking in your EATON Catalogue. It's a fund of fresh ideas almost a course in decorating, and the best place for thrifty-minded shoppers, too!

EATON CO.
WINNIPEG CANADA



SHARPSHOOTING 'MINUTE MAN'
Winner of the King's prize at the Blaise shoot last year, Capt. T. S. Smith was one of the volunteers who turned up at scores of British police stations in answer to Anthony Eden's appeal for anti-parachutist riflemen. He is shown on the shoulders of a crowd after winning the tournament in 1939.

OPPOSITION FOR HON. SOLON LOW

Edmonton, May 28.—On the political front in Alberta two interesting developments have arisen; one the fact that Hon. Solon Low, provincial treasurer, is not to be allowed a walk-in in the by-election in the Vegreville constituency on June 20. It had been hoped by the government of Premier Aberhart that Mr. Low would be given an acclamation to the seat vacated by Mr. Woytkiw, who won it in a three-cornered fight in the March 21 general election. The opposition, however, has sprung unexpectedly from the ranks of the Social Credit party itself.

William Dorosh, of Edmonton, and a former school teacher at Vegreville, who has been active in Social Credit circles in the past and was organizer for Mr. Woytkiw in the last election, has announced his intention of opposing Mr. Low as a strictly independent candidate. Mr. Dorosh declared in making his announcement he was opposed to the undemocratic resignation of Mr. Woytkiw without even consulting his supporters in Vegreville before making the step.

The other interesting development politically in Alberta is the final break into the open of the quarrel between Hon. W. J. Herridge, New Democracy founder, and the Social Credit party, now operating in parliament under the title of New Democracy. Mr. Herridge who was "disowned" as leader by Premier Aberhart recently, in a letter to John Blackmore, parliamentary leader, charged the Social Credit group and leaders have "gone back on national service." He says the party has reversed its stand on conscription of wealth, industry and manpower since the last session at Ottawa.

It is charged in other quarters that Premier Aberhart and the Social Credit leaders made this reversal of policy before the election because they realized it would be unpopular at the polls and might prevent their re-election.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received up to noon June 15th, by the Board of the Wainwright School Division No. 22 for the erection of an Office Building in the Town of Wainwright. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. H. Currie,
Secretary-Treasurer.

"Canada should encourage a standard of education which will appreciate a school not by the scholarships obtained but by the worthwhile citizens that it produces."—Dr. Florence S. Dunlop.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, June 2

Passchendale—Public worship 11:15 a.m.

Roseberry—Sunday school 2:30 p.m.

Public worship 8:30 p.m.

Irma—Sunday school 11 a.m.

Public worship 8 p.m.

Mid-week service for bible study and prayer Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A hearty invitation is extended to all.

FULL GOSPEL SERVICES

Sunday, June 2

Strawberry Plains—11 a.m.

Room—1:30 p.m.

Alma Mater—4 p.m.

Irma—7:30 p.m.

All are welcome.

Rev. Wm. Deverill in charge.

FOR SALE—New grass seed attachment for 20 run L.H.C. drill. (Apply to Times office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Full sized bed; will trade for pigs, calf, or what have you. Thos. Marsden, Irma. 1tc

TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders for the purchase of a No. 5 Royal typewriter will be received by the council not later than 5 o'clock in the afternoon of June 11, 1940. Please mark "Tender" on envelope. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Chas. Wilbraham,
Secretary-Treasurer,
M.D. Battle River, No. 428,
Irma, Alberta.

The Kinsella sports date has been announced as June 20th.

A CHALLENGE TO DEMOCRATIC DEVOTION

Canadians today are being asked to buy War Savings Certificates. What does this mean? It means this: That our answer will be the measure of our real devotion to democracy. To freedom.

We have been told that democracy is decadent. That our ideals of freedom are meaningless. That our way of life cannot compel the devotion that goes to the totalitarian creed.

War Savings Certificates can answer, and powerfully, to that indictment. To the extent that we buy them we will tell whether or not devotion to democracy and liberty does exist; whether there exists the reality of democratic responsibility, of democratic loyalty, of democratic unity.

Let Canadians buy these War Savings Certificates, by answering with all and the least of their means the great cry for help that goes up, show how strong is the discipline of freedom.

EVACUATION TO CANADA

Ottawa — Ten thousand refugee children from England would immediately be absorbed in reliable British Columbia homes, said Mrs. G. M. Murray, wife of the member of British Columbia's legislature, in a wire to Senator Cairine Wilson. Mrs. Wilson is chairman of the Canadian National Committee on Refugees and had suggested the step for the duration of the war. Supporting the plan Mrs. Murray suggested the Women's Institutes be the nucleus of volunteer workers for the task.

IRMA'S NEW ICE CREAM PARLOR IS NOW OPEN

Bulk ice cream in the following flavors: Vanilla, Strawberry, Maple Walnut and Tutti Frutti

Large assortment ice cream bricks, also Revels, Dixie Cups, and Fuglies. Assortment ice cold drinks all stored in latest model Refrigerator

LIGHT LUNCHES and MEALS at Popular Prices

THE CLUB CAFE

Re: Agricultural Pests Act OFFICIAL NOTICE RE DESTRUCTION OF GRASSHOPPERS M.D.

To: All owners and occupants of land
Your attention is directed to the provisions of the Agricultural Pests Act, which requires every owner and occupant of land to destroy all pests specified within the aforementioned Act.

The Municipal District is required to direct and see that every owner and occupant of land takes the necessary precautions and conducts an active and aggressive control program with respect to grasshoppers present on land under its control.

Your attention is drawn to the following Sections of the Agricultural Pests Act:

3. Every person shall take active control measures with a view to destroying all pests upon land owned or occupied or controlled by him, and when given any specified directions with regard to such destruction by an officer he shall obey such directions.

4. A notice may be served upon him requiring him to forthwith take any action

5. In the event of any person failing within 3 (three) days after such notice has been served upon him to obey such directions, any officer may secure the proper material and take whatever action necessary to destroy such pests—and the amount of such account shall be recorded against the land, payment of which shall be enforced in the same manner as that of the taxes against the land.

7. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this Act, or with any notice or regulation herein provided, shall be liable to a penalty of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and costs.

You are hereby notified, pursuant to the provisions of the Agricultural Pests Act, that you are required forthwith, in accordance with methods outlined in government posters or instructions issued by any officer charged with the enforcement of the Act, to take active measures to poison and destroy all grasshoppers on all lands, with road allowances adjacent thereto, owned, occupied or controlled by you; and that upon failure so to do the said pests may be destroyed and the cost charged against you or against the lands; and that in the event of your failure so to do you are liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and costs.

Your attention is directed to government posters and other literature outlining methods of control which are displayed in post offices, grain elevators, mixing stations and other public places. I would make the following suggestions and recommendations with respect to the control of grasshoppers:

1. Every few days after May 10, examine carefully all roadsides, headlands and weedy or abandoned fields. Report discovery of hoppers immediately to the municipal secretary.
 2. Do not sow stubble land. If absolutely necessary to seed stubble it should be PLOUGHED DEEPLY.
 3. Land to be summer-fallowed in 1940 should be cultivated shallowly early in the spring to bring egg pods to the surface where wind and sun may destroy them.
 4. Plough four rod guard strips around all stubble fields. Cultivate such fields from the outside towards the centre, and poison the hoppers on the centre strip.
- SPREAD POISONED BAIT WHILE THE SUN SHINES.** Hopper feed only while temperature is between 68 and 90 degrees F. in the shade.

Minutes of Monthly Meeting M.D. of Buffalo Coulee

Council meeting was held in Saulteaux school with councillors Wear, Phessey, Ramsay, Donnenworth, Dew, and Currey present and reeve Phessey presiding.

Cr. Dew read the minutes of April 18th when Cr. Ramsay cd. that they be adopted as read.

Richardson Road Machinery Co. representative was present and Cr. Dew carried that one ½ yd tractor frame be purchased at the price of \$230 and to be charged to general account for the present.

By-law No. 17 passed first reading on motion of Cr. Ramsay and second reading on motion of Cr. Dew. This by-law is for the purpose of authorizing the sale of the NW 28-49-0 W4 to Joseph G. Nafziger. Cr. Ramsay cd. that 5 per cent interest be charged on overdue payments.

Hon. W. A. Fallow's reply to our letter re government grant and road machinery was read but no action indicated. Hon. Jas. G. Gardiner's reply to our letter re wheat board payment was also read; no action.

Cr. Donnenworth cd. that the secretary is to notify Joe Nafziger and Gas Maron that the road is to be opened up this year between Sections 22 and 27-49-0 W4.

Estimates and mill rates for 1940 were then taken into consideration. Cr. Dew moved that the municipal mill rate be 12 mills. Cr. Ramsay moved an amendment that the rate be 11 mills. On voting the amendment was lost on a 3 and 3 vote, and the motion was declared carried. Estimates and by-law as attached were then adopted and all other rates were

Eyesight Correctionist CARMEN W. DAWDY (Registered Optometrist) Edmonton, Alberta

Will be at—
IRMA, Thursday, June 13th
9 a.m. - Noon
KINSSELLA, Friday, June 14th
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
VIKING, Friday, June 14th
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Eyes thoroughly and scientifically examined

Glasses if you need them—
Good advice if you don't

On Sale Now! WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

A direct obligation of the Dominion of Canada

"Since the momentous day of last September, hundreds of thousands of Canadians have been asking themselves, 'What can I do to help win the war?'"

"One answer is, 'By saving.' Every man, woman and child in the Dominion can now make a direct and continuing contribution to Canada's war effort by saving not only his dollars, but also his nickels, dimes and quarters to buy Canada's War Savings Certificates."

MINISTER OF FINANCE

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES: are repayable in seven and one-half years. If you hold them to maturity, you will receive 3% on your money — your investment will increase by 25%. They are sold as follows:—

- For a \$5 certificate you pay \$4
- For a \$10 certificate you pay \$8
- For a \$25 certificate you pay \$20
- For a \$50 certificate you pay \$40
- For a \$100 certificate you pay \$80

TO FIT ANY BUDGET: You can take advantage of this patriotic and profitable savings plan, whether your savings are measured in dollars or in occasional nickels, dimes and quarters. Canada's War Savings Certificates are expressly designed to appeal to the man or woman of modest means who cannot afford to subscribe to war bonds of larger denominations, but who desires to do something tangible to assist the Country's war effort.

CHILDREN TOO! Even children can purchase War Savings Certificates, using their pennies, nickels and dimes to buy War Savings Stamps at 25c each. Sixteen of these stamps will buy one \$5 Certificate.

DEVELOP THE SAVING HABIT: You can purchase as many War Savings Certificates as you like, up to \$500 maturity value in any calendar year. Buy them when you wish — buy them often. Remember, systematic saving is successful saving — and your Country needs your money.

REGISTRATION: Each War Savings Certificate is registered in one name only, and is not transferable.

REDEMPTION: War Savings Certificates cannot be called for redemption by the Government prior to their date of maturity. The owner, however, has the option, after six months, of redeeming his certificates for cash at fixed redemption values. In urgent cases, advance notice will be waived.

**You too can SERVE—
by SAVING!**

Get your War Savings Certificates or Stamp Card today. Your employer will gladly arrange to make weekly deduction from your wages to buy War Savings Certificates.

Complete information and application forms at
BANKS, POST OFFICES AND DEALERS

WHAT CHEW
LASTS LONGER?

THAT'S EASY
-BIG BEN!

BIG BEN
The PERFECT Chewing Tobacco

A Ponderous Tome

A ponderous tome, comprising nearly a thousand pages, to say nothing of innumerable appendices and reams of statistics, the report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial relations provides plenty of food for thought and a lot of material for discussion, and it is a reasonable conclusion that it will occasion a great deal of talk before its recommendations are implemented.

It is safe to say that no more important document has been presented to the nation since Confederation and it requires little reflection to state that it is high time that some of the changes recommended by Mr. Sirois and his colleagues were put into effect. A lot of water has flowed under the bridge in this rapidly growing country since the date when the provinces were welded into a great geographical entity—Canada—by the fathers of Confederation in 1867.

Though the fathers of Confederation can be credited with a great deal of wisdom and some foresight when they allocated to the Dominion and its provinces their several spheres of jurisdiction, even they could not have been expected to predict the immense growth, the great changes, the enormous diversity and scope of problems which would come about in less than three quarters of a century. The truth of the matter is that the country has outgrown the rules and regulations laid down for its guidance and the conduct of its affairs, though those rules and regulations were admirably suited to its needs at the time they were formulated.

As a result of these great and in many cases unpredictable changes, and of the changed conditions under which the national, provincial and municipal governments have to operate to-day, the clothes which clad the lusty infant in 1867 are likely to choke the full grown adult of to-day. Hence new clothes must be cut and fashioned to suit the requirements of the present.

Favorable Reception

While it is yet too early to pronounce any conclusive opinion on the recommendations of the Sirois Commission as a whole, its general tenor appeared when first released to meet with a favorable reception in the west by those who might be expected to be competent to give an opinion on such weighty subjects and based solely on newspaper summaries of the contents of the document.

Certainly there can be no two opinions on the recommendation that the Federal government assume full responsibility for unemployment relief, though municipal men are inclined to question the decision that this responsibility should be confined to the employables, on the ground that the unemployable jobless have multiplied enormously during the depression decade. It can be safely assumed that strong pressure will be exerted to secure a greater measure of federal aid, if not full responsibility, for the unemployable on relief.

On the first appearance of the summary of the report municipal men were also inclined to look askance at the absence of any definite recommendations for relief from municipal indebtedness. It may be presumed, however, that the Commission took the view that this was not a matter for a body dealing with Dominion-provincial relations, since the municipalities are creatures of the respective provinces which set them up and that this is a matter which the provinces should deal with themselves. No doubt, also, it was felt that the financial relations between the municipalities and the provinces are so variable in different parts of the country that the Commission should not delve into this subject beyond making a recommendation that the provinces assume a greater measure of control over municipal finances.

A Secondary Consideration

While, as already stated, it is high time that the country receive such a report as that submitted by the Sirois body and make some changes in the constitution in the direction of better adaptation of government to the present day requirements of the country and its constituent parts, it is unfortunate that it comes at a time when the nation is bending all its energies to the prosecution of a war, which is evidently to be waged to a finish.

The term "unfortunate" is used, because, while such important measures as those recommended by the Royal Commission are not to be treated lightly; in fact, deserve and should have the most serious and thoughtful consideration before action upon them is taken, if time is taken by the national government and those of the provinces to such questions at the present time it might detract somewhat from the country's war effort. On the other hand, the financial relationships between the Dominion and the provinces are too important to be dealt with hastily and without a full quota of discussion.

In view of the fact that this country is now engaged in a struggle for its very existence, it may be necessary to defer action on the report until such time as more attention can be given such problems without running any risk of interfering with a matter of even greater importance.

Appeal For Funds

D. H. Gibson, of Toronto, Dominion president of the Navy League of Canada, announced that a Dominion-wide appeal for funds to carry on the work of assisting men of the British and Canadian navies and the mercantile marine, will be launched the latter part of September. Gibson said the appeal will be made to Canadians on behalf of the work in Britain as well as in Canada.

Missed This One

The Fort William Times-Journal says Scotsmen have given their names to a number of things of every day use, which are no longer printed with capitals. We wear mackintoshes, we drive on macadamized roads, and protect the backs of our chairs with anti-macassars. No Scotsman, however, has arisen to lay claim to the invention of the stuff named after MacArthur.

Would Reproduce Naval Fight

The British government is considering an animated reproduction of the battle of the river Plata to be put on at the New York world's fair, Cecil M. Pickett, commissioner-general for Great Britain at the fair, said. Three British light cruisers defeated the 10,000-ton German pocket battleship Graf Spee in the famous action.

Air Pilots

Fighting Airmen Said To Usually Have Blue Eyes

Good fighter pilots in the air usually have blue eyes.

This is not a matter of mere coincidence. Scientific tests, carried out with the object of finding the ideal fighter-pilot have proved it.

All pilots must be of good sound stock and must pass a strict medical examination. This includes tests to find whether the applicant can withstand the strain of flying in all climates and all altitudes.

Eyesight must be first class with correct color vision and muscular balance.

The ears, nose and throat examination also is severe. Good hearing is essential, variations in the sound of the engine may be important, and a pilot must be able to hear messages coming through his earphones under any conditions of noise.

But it is the man's general characteristics which are the real pointers. Good fighter pilots vary a great deal in appearance—in height—in chest measurement and in purely physical characteristics—but they all have something in common. This is a quality which indicates good mental and physical stamina.

As to whether the color of the candidate's eyes is any real guide, medical authorities are doubtful, but while brown or gray eyes go with a sympathetic temperament, the steady blue denote the independent, combative nature of the ideal fighter pilot.

Maybe Queen Set Style

Parasols Have Come Back Into Fashion After Many Years

Parasols are coming back with summer fashions in the greatest numbers since the '90's, style scouts in the fashion mart report.

In Manhattan's largest shops they are hailed as "tremendous news" and are being shown in gayer designs and fabrics than the '90's ever knew.

What's behind the parasol parade nobody seems to know. Some lay it to the influence of Queen Elizabeth's visit to Canada and the United States last summer. Others say it's just part of the general trend.

SELECTED RECIPES

STEAMED ALL-BRAN BROWN BREAD

1 cup Kellogg's All-Bran
1 cup sour milk or buttermilk
1/2 cup raisins
1 tablespoon molasses
1/2 cup sugar
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
Combine All-Bran, milk, raisins, molasses and sugar. Sift flour with soda and salt. Add to first mixture, stirring until flour disappears. Fill greased cans two-thirds full; cover tightly and steam for three hours.
Yield: Two loaves 1-lb. cans.

SALMON CASSEROLE

4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
3 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
2 cups cooked salmon
1 cup cooked or canned peas
2 teaspoons scraped onion
Salt and pepper
Make a cream sauce with butter, flour and milk. Season to taste. Drain salmon; remove skin and bones and flake. Add salmon, peas and onion to sauce. Turn into greased casserole. Cover with Christie's Premium Soda Cream which have been buttered with lemon butter (a little lemon rind and juice added to butter). Place under low broiler heat until crackers are a delicious brown. Serve immediately.

Indissoluble Union

"The British Empire and the French Republic are now joined together in indissoluble union so that their high purposes may be accomplished and immense progress has been made in almost every direction in strengthening their forces, in improving their defences and adapting their whole economy and way of life to the service of the common cause."
—The First Lord of the Admiralty.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR LIVER

It may be the cause of your troubles. Buck it up the right way, with Fruit-A-Tives. Feel grand.

Your liver is the largest organ in your body and most important to your health. It pours out bile to digest food, gets rid of waste, stores energy, allows the proper nourishment to reach your blood. When your liver gets out of order food decomposes in your intestines. You become constipated, stomach and kidneys can't keep up. You feel "tired"—headache, backache, dizziness, dragged out all the time.

Relieve yourself of these miseries, as thousands have—with Fruit-A-Tives, for 25 years Canada's largest selling liver remedy. Fruit-A-Tives stimulate your liver, bring prompt relief—make you feel like a new person. Get bottle-a-day of your "liver's" today, 35c.

FRUIT-A-TIVES Liver Tablets

An Interesting Test

Experiments To Determine Whether Hot Water Freezes Faster Than Cold

Does hot water freeze faster than cold water? This has been a subject of much controversy among laymen. Now the scientists have entered the discussion, with conflicting findings. To the physicist there is just one answer, if the experiment is performed under ideal conditions—that cold water will freeze faster than hot. But in practical experiments it is not always possible to attain ideal conditions, and consequently inconsistencies, real or apparent, develop.

It was pointed out in the discussions that hot water evaporated faster than cold, and that if the experiments were started with equal amounts of water the hotter one would soon become much smaller, and that this would aid it in freezing quicker. This also would make the experiment unscientific because the starting conditions were not continued unaltered.

Two series of experiments were made by Dr. G. Wakeham, of the University of Colorado. He made eight tests. In four of them, 250 cubic centimeters of water at various temperatures were placed in metal cylinders, and in the four others equal amounts of water were placed at the same temperatures in pie tins. The time in which it took each sample to freeze in outdoor temperatures of slightly above zero was recorded.

Water boils at a temperature of 100 degrees Fahrenheit, at the 10,000-foot altitude, where the tests were made. The times in which the water at different degrees froze in the cylinders were 190 degrees, 54 minutes; 86 degrees, 42 minutes; 68 degrees, 39 minutes; 50 degrees, 37 minutes. When the pie tins were used, a different set of results was obtained. The freezing times were 190 degrees, 31 minutes; 86 degrees, 33 minutes; 68 degrees, 31 minutes; 50 degrees, 29 minutes.

It is apparent from these figures that the shape of the vessel has a great effect on the freezing time. The boiling water took 54 minutes to freeze when it was placed in a cylinder, but only 31 minutes when placed in a pie tin. When the pie tin was used there was little difference in the freezing time whether the water was at the boiling point or 149 degrees cooler (31 and 29 minutes respectively).

The trouble with most experiments is that they are not made under carefully controlled conditions. Freshly boiled water is in a different state from unboiled water. Heating drives dissolved gases out of water. As water cools it will reabsorb gases. Boiling will precipitate certain dissolved solids. All of these changes make a difference in the rate at which water will absorb heat or give it up.

In scientific tests these factors must be controlled, as well as the air pressure at which the tests are made. The temperature to which the water is exposed must be kept constant, and the specific heat of the vessel in which the water is contained must be considered. When these conditions are observed and the only difference between two samples of water is their temperature, then the cold water will freeze faster than the hot.—By John J. O'Neill in the New York Herald Tribune.

Coastal Defence

Civilian Workers Trained To Meet Any Wartime Emergency

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Similar organizations exist in Sydney, Saint John, Quebec, Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo and Prince Rupert.

Gaelic And Welsh

Gaelic and Welsh may be spoken freely over the radio in Canada, exempt from all restrictions placed on foreign language broadcasts, Col. R. P. Landry, chief radio censor of censorship co-ordination committee, said at Ottawa. "They are basic languages and essentially British, so now they are in the same category as English and French as far as censorship is concerned," Col. Landry said.

Bicycles in Paris must be licensed, the fee being equivalent to 50 cents.

BEE HIVE
GOLDEN CORN SYRUP
— A Great Energy Food

Road Maps

Inventor Has Solved The Difficulties Encountered By Motorists

"Life would be stationary and perhaps dull without the inventors, particularly those men who conceive the little gadgets and edge human progress an inch or two farther along the way.

There is the matter of road maps; they have caused a lot of irritation in their time. Neatly folded, they look innocent enough, but open one up when driving, or have the second person sitting in the front seat do so, and immediately it behaves like a piano accordion that has got out of hand or a horizontal jack-in-the-box that just will not be squelched.

But a man with an inventive turn of mind has done something about this question of "map trouble." He has devised a simple case with two rollers. The map is inserted like a roll of camera film, and a small transparent window permits of easy reading. No more of that struggling in the wind, like a deep waterman off the Horn with a mainsail that refuses to come home to the yard. The map can be read and its routes traced.

Blessings on the inventors of small things!—Hamilton Spectator.

The Nazi Creed

"War is no 'scourge of God' but a blessing of God, it is no punishment from heaven, but the eternal fountain of youth from which a new generation is born. This glorious National Socialist principle we have proclaimed loudly at War Easter, 1940, to our nation and to the whole world."—Dr. Ley, in the Angriff of March 28, 1940.

A GROCER PUT ME WISE.

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"Sure I'm a crank for cleanliness—but it never occurred to me that waxed paper should be as unquestionably pure as food itself. Thank goodness a grocer put me wise. From now on it's Para-Sani—pure and safe food protection."

Insist on

Para-Sani

PURE-HEAVY WAXED PAPER

AN APPLEFORD PRODUCT
MADE IN CANADA

APPLEFORD PAPER PRODUCTS LTD.
WAREHOUSES AT
WINNIPEG - REGINA - SASKATOON - CALGARY - EDMONTON

FEMALE PAIN

Women who suffer painful, irregular periods with nervous, moody spells due to faulty circulation should find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound simply marvelous to relieve such distress. Pinkham's Compound is made especially to help weak, tired women to get on their feet and keep them. Over 1,000,000 women have found amazing benefits. **WELL WORTH TRYING!**



GYPROC FIREPROOF WALLBOARD STOPS FIRE!

Build YOUR walls and ceilings on a safety basis with Gyproc Fireproof Wallboard. Whether new construction, renovations or repairs, Gyproc is the ideal material for walls and ceilings. Just consider these features:

- EASILY AND QUICKLY ERECTED—saves time and labour
- PERMANENT AND DURABLE—therefore economical
- WILL NOT WARP, CRACK, SHRINK OR SWELL
- INVISIBLE JOINTS—panel strips are not necessary
- SMOOTH, DUST-FREE SURFACES—easy to keep clean
- TAKES ANY TYPE OF DECORATION—no monotony
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The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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CHAPTER IV—Continued

The Caller

Mr. Harlow considered this frowningly. "That means nothing. He gives no trouble."

"No," she said shortly. "I get worried," she went on, "but he's quiet. Who is Mr. Carlton?"

Harlow drew a quick breath. "Has he been here?"

She nodded. "Yes—this afternoon. He asked me if I was Miss Mercy's old maid—she must have died soon after he was born."

"He's older than that—well?" "I thought it was queer, but he said he'd been asked to trace Mr. Saul Marling."

"By whom?" "She confessed her ignorance with a look."

"I don't know; but it was a proper inquiry. He showed me the papers. They were from Eastbourne. I told him Marling was dead. Where?" he said. "In South America," I told him."

"Pernambuco," emphasized Mr. Harlow. "In the plague epidemic. Humph! Clever . . . and unscrupulous. Thank you."

She watched him pass into the elevator and drop out of sight, then she went into the second room that opened from the landing. This, too, was pleasantly furnished. Turning on the lights she sat down and opened a big chintz bag. From this she took an unfinished stocking and adjusted her knitting needles. And as her nimble fingers moved, so did her lips.

"Pernambuco—in the plague epidemic," she was saying.

CHAPTER V.

Allen Rivers lived in Bloomsbury, which had the advantage of

TIED FEET



truth, it had been one of the sources of irritation of that very unhappy day that she could not quite remember what he looked like. She knew that he was not repulsive and had a misty idea that he was rather good-looking, but that his nose was too short. It proved on inspection to be of a fashionable length. His eyes were blue and he was a little older than she had thought. Half her disrepute was based on the illusion of his youth.

"Now ask all your horrid questions," she said as she stripped her gloves.

"Number one," he began. "What did Harlow offer you when I so discreetly withdrew last night?"

"That has nothing to do with the burglar," she answered promptly. "But as it wasn't very important, I will tell you. He offered me a position."

"Where?" he asked quickly. She shook her head.

"I don't know. We didn't get so far as that; I told him I was perfectly happy with Mr. Stebbings—who, by the way, used to be the lawyer of the Harlow family."

"Did you tell him that?" "He thrust his head forward eagerly."

"He'll Be Furious"

"Why, no—he told me, though of course I knew," she said. "He knew, the moment I mentioned Stebbings' name."

"Was he impressed?" he asked after a pause, and she laughed. "How ridiculous you are! Seriously, Mr. . . ." She paused inultingly.

"Carlton," he muttered; "half-brother to the hotel but no relation to the club."

"You worked that little jest last night," she said.

"And I shall work it every night you pretend to forget my name! Anyway, it is a confession of crass ignorance which no modern young woman can afford to make. I am one of the most famous men in London."

"I think I've heard you say that before," she said mendaciously. "Now tell me seriously, Mr. Carlton—"

"Oh, it's he murmured."

"What do you want to know about the burglary?"

"Nothing," was the shameless reply. "As a matter of fact, I have saved you a great deal of trouble by supplying headquarters with all the details they need. Your uncle charges tomorrow; do you know that?"

"To-morrow?" she said, with a little pang of apprehension. "An Elk is going to meet him and take some of the sting out of his anger. I suppose he will be very angry?"

"He'll be furious," said the girl, troubled. And then, with a quick feeling that you might be a hunch merchant—do you know what a hunch merchant is?"

"Premonitions are my long suit, telepathy my sixth sense, and I've got a hunch . . . perhaps I'm wrong. I hope I am."

(To Be Continued)

A World in Flames

The Moral Insanity Of The Leaders Of The Nazi Party

No matter what Hitler and his followers have done in the past, there have always been influential groups in the democracies to believe or hope that he would shrink before the last barbarities, that, if nothing else, opinion in his own or neutral countries would stop him from letting loose a war on all civilization that would spare neither the monuments of the past, historic cities nor the homes and lives of peaceful civilians.

Many have found it impossible hitherto to believe the testimony regarding the complete recklessness and irresponsibility, the moral insanity of the Nazi leaders, that have come to us from Rauschning and other observers. But now we know that they are true; and because of the awful instruments of power and destruction in the hands of these madmen, all the values of European civilization now hang in the balance.—New York Times.

Material For Parachutes

Product From Silkworm Farm in England May Be Used

Ministry of supply experts are considering using 3,500,000 silkworms to produce silk for parachutes.

The silkworms are maintained at Lullington castle by Sir Robert and Lady Hart Dyke, whose "silk" farm has 250,000 mulberry trees and bushes.

The worms' annual product is sufficient to make 200 parachutes, and has passed the official test of 40 pounds to the square inch tensile strength.

A huge river has been discovered off the coast of California. It flows about a half mile under the surface of the Pacific.

Seals form the greater part of the food of polar bears.

Not Yet A Fact

Practical Possibilities Of Atomic Power Have Not Been Proved

No immediate likelihood of the isotope, of uranium, U-235, speeding battleships across the Atlantic or revolutionizing the power industry, was seen by University of Toronto professors. Coal and gasoline, they believe, will be needed for a long time—and Niagara Falls as well.

"They haven't enough of it to spring a mouse trap, let alone drive a battleship," commented L. Joslyn Rogers, professor of chemistry. The practical application is not yet a fact and whether it can ever be of commercial value is far from proved. "Apparently if large enough quantities of it could be secured, it would work," commented H. Grayson Smith, associated professor of physics. "But it exists in such minute quantities that its practical possibilities are a long way off."

An official at the head office of the Eldorado Gold Mines stated that 200 pounds of uranium would be required in order to get one pound of U-235. There was no truth whatever in the statement that uranium was widely found over the earth's surface. Great Bear Lake and the Belgian Congo had the only real deposits of it, he said.

Will Come In Handy

New Oil Deposits Have Been Discovered In Southern France

The "plutocratic" democracies, cause of so much Nazi anguish, manage to keep one jump ahead of Hitler's grabs. While the Reich is bowling over neutral set-ups in its quest for war supplies, France does some quiet drilling at home and strikes oil.

Paris reports reveal that new deposits discovered in Southern France may prove large enough to supply the nation's petroleum demands. France previously had an oil output of more than 500,000 barrels annually, so the latest discovery is not the sort of thing that will cheer petroleum-hungry Germany.

All this conveniently located oil will come in handy for the Allies soon, especially if trouble in the Mediterranean slows up British imports from the Near East.—Windsor Star.

Information Wanted

The explorer approached the savage chief.

"I have come to you from beyond the sunset—from the Great White King," he said.

"Tell me," replied the savage chief, "are they gonna do anything about these radio programs?"

Using War Trophies

Scrap metal from U-boat is being shipped to Britain in increasing quantities for war use and the Belfast government was advised that trophies won by Irish troops in the last war will be considered acceptable contributions. Guns, tanks and other "souvenirs" will be forwarded.



Always Looked After

Great Britain Never Forgets Responsibility To Her Dependencies

The Colonial Secretary has presented to the British Parliament a bill which shows the long vision of British statesmanship.

Each year for the next ten years, it is proposed, \$5,000,000 will be spent on colonial development in economic and other fields. An additional \$500,000 is to be spent annually on colonial research. Moreover \$11,264,488 advanced in loans to British colonies in recent years is to be forgiven the debtors, turned into outright grants.

Wars come and go, but the Empire carries on, and the home government's responsibility for the colonies and dependencies never is forgotten. In time of war there must be preparation for peace—just as, since Hitler set out on his evil campaign of conquest, in time of peace there had to be preparation for war.—Ottawa Journal.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

FIDELITY

Nothing is more noble, nothing more venerable, than fidelity.—Cicero.

A constant fidelity in small things is a great and heroic virtue.—Bonaventure.

Fidelity is simply doing to be true in small things as well as great.—Henry Van Dyke.

No greater hope have we than in right thinking and right acting, and faith in the blessing of fidelity, courage, patience, and grace.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well, and doing well whatever you do, without a thought of fame.—Longfellow.

Only they who fulfil their duty in everyday matters will fulfil them on great occasions.—Kingsley.

Know How To Advertise

Blind Man Evidently Understood What Would Attract Attention

This story appeared in the Reader's Digest: One sunny May day in Central Park, New York, a blind man was seen tapping for attention with his cane and carrying on his chest a sign: "Help the Blind." No one paid much attention to him. A little farther on another blind beggar was doing better. Practically every passerby put a coin in his cup, some even turning back to make their contribution. His sign read: "It Is May—And I Am Blind."



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World of Sport

By H. B. C.

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NO TIME TO TALK WAR COSTS WARNS VETERANS' MAGAZINE

Ottawa, May 28—A stark warning that the most gigantic struggle of all time is being joined and that civilization as we have known it in the past five centuries stands or falls by its result, is made editorially in the current issue of The Legionary, national magazine of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. The editorial calls upon Canadians to shake off their complacency and to realize that they will soon have to throw every element they possess into waging the war.

"It is the height of futility to talk about the war costing this much or that much," the editorial says, "the cost of this war will eventually have to be everything we can put

into it—man-power, material, money—everything. For if we do not succeed, we perish.

The Legionary says bluntly that "it is clear that any combination of powers that can overwhelm the British Empire and our Allies will, with the aid of the other totalitarian powers, have no problem whatever in overcoming whatever protective influences operate on this side of the Atlantic. Anything that looks like a German triumph over the Allies will bring the other jacksals into the feast. And the neutral isolationists will have little to say in how the corpse is to be divided."

The editorial says that in the wake of German "victories" are the destruction, the anguish and the ruin of helpless peoples. "But those results of the exercise of their power and force do not concern the German in the slightest. They are merciless and pitiless just as the Mongol hordes were. And the weaker the people against whom they unleash their butchery, the more resounding the 'victory' and the more worthy of admiration is the leader who organized it."

"Our duty to save ourselves," it adds, "is the paramount duty of saving ourselves now. Six months from now may be too late."

REDUCTION IN RELIEF

Edmonton—Unemployed registered in Alberta on April 15 totalled 7,592, according to figures released by the provincial Employment Service. This is an increase of 382 over the registration at the end of March of 1940 but a decrease of 588 over the same date last year. Number of persons in Canada on relief during January 1940 is given in the same report as 705,480. This is a reduction of 257,860 from January of 1939.

"Public opinion is still apathetic and people still take little interest in tuberculosis has struck down a loved one in this Dominion of Canada,"—Dr. J. R. Byers.

LOCALS

The regular monthly meeting of the Glenholm Social Credit study group will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson on Wednesday, June 5th, at 8:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Farmers are making good progress with seeding. A good rain would help germination considerably.

The St. Mary's W.A. plans to put on a tea early in July. Date and place will be announced later.

The next meeting of the W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Sanders on June 26th.

Mrs. Longmire is spending a few days in Edmonton this week.

Mrs. Griffith of Jarrow visited in Irma a few days this week.

A meeting of the Irma Board of Trade will be held in Haddy's Hall on Monday evening, June 3, at 8:30. All members are asked to attend.

The annual Ladies' Aid garden party will be held on Wednesday afternoon and evening, June 19th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smallwood on Strawberry Plains.

Rev. Woollett of Fairview, Alta., will be the new United Church minister at Kinsella and Jarrow.

Rev. A. D. Richards of Edmonton has been moved to Wainwright and Rev. Stainton to Holden. The above changes were made in the Wainwright Presbytery at the annual conference held in Edmonton during the past week.

The Irma boys basketball team took first honors at the Loughheed sports on May 24th, defeating the Galahad team in their first game and the Wainwright team in the final game.

The Irma girls team was beaten by the Hardy girls.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hardy and Miss Mildred Hill of Edmonton spent last week-end at the Hill farm.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mills and family of Edmonton visited the Smallwood family over the holiday May 24th, and the week-end.

RED CROSS NOTES

A supply of goods have been received from headquarters of the Canadian Red Cross. Any person wishing to do sewing or knitting kindly get in touch with the working committee, being Mrs. Longmire and Mrs. Wilbraham, or the vice-president, Mrs. R. C. McFarland.

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The World of Wheat

H. G. L. Strange

The situation in northern France, we are told by Prime Minister Churchill, if not critical, is certainly exceedingly grave. Some consider that it may even take military genius and Divine help to offset the present German superiority, but military genius and Divine help have in the past, at critical times come to our aid.

The great storm which scattered the ships of the Spanish Armada in 1588 was an instance of Divine help.

In 1914 the swift relentless German drive disorganized the French and British Armies, and by September 5th the Germans had arrived at Meaux, only 25 miles from Paris; and then suddenly the Allied High Command took the advice of Foch, who we now know as a military genius, ordered the British and French Armies to stop retreating and immediately, tired as they were to counter attack; and then a miracle happened, the whole German Army turned in unexpected full retreat and in six days was driven back a distance varying from twenty to forty miles, and Paris and the channel ports were saved.

And so we can still hold our hopes high, for we have eternal faith in the righteousness of our cause.

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